

DETAILED ACTION

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Jana Meier on 06/29/2011.

The application has been amended as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 27 - should be dependent from claim 1.

Claim 28 - should be dependent from claim 1.

Allowable Subject Matter

2. Claims 1-5, 7-16 and 18-40 are allowed over the prior art of record in light of the arguments and amendments submitted 06/20/2011.
3. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:
4. The prior art of record fails to either show or reasonably suggest the claimed two-component adhesive.

5. The closest prior art of record is Kramer. Kramer provides an adhesive which contains many of the same components as presently claimed such the claimed A, B, F and D. Kramer differs from the present claims because Kramer is a one part adhesive rather than a two part adhesive and because Kramer does not provide the claimed component K2, the claimed compound C and the ratio of K1 to K2. Absent further hints in the prior art it would not have been obvious to have made the combination of changes to arrive at the present claims when presented with the Kramer reference.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to MICHAEL ORLANDO whose telephone number is (571)270-5038. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday, 7:30am-4:30pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Philip C. Tucker can be reached on (571) 272-1095. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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